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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **Kazuhiro NAKADAI et al.**

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

**ATTN: PCT BRANCH**

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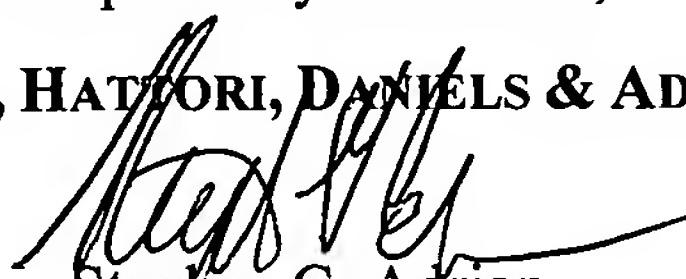
Sir:

Applicants received a Notification of Abandonment dated on March 9, 2007 indicating that applicants failed to respond to the Notification of Insufficient Basic National Fee Required and/or Missing Copy of International Application dated on November 22, 2006. Please note that applicants filed a Response to Notification of Insufficient Basic National Fee Required and/or Missing Copy of International Application in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 30, 2006. In addition, the communication of the international application has duly taken place on June 17, 2004, as evidenced by the attached copy of Form PCT/IB/308.

Accordingly, applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the holding of abandonment. If any fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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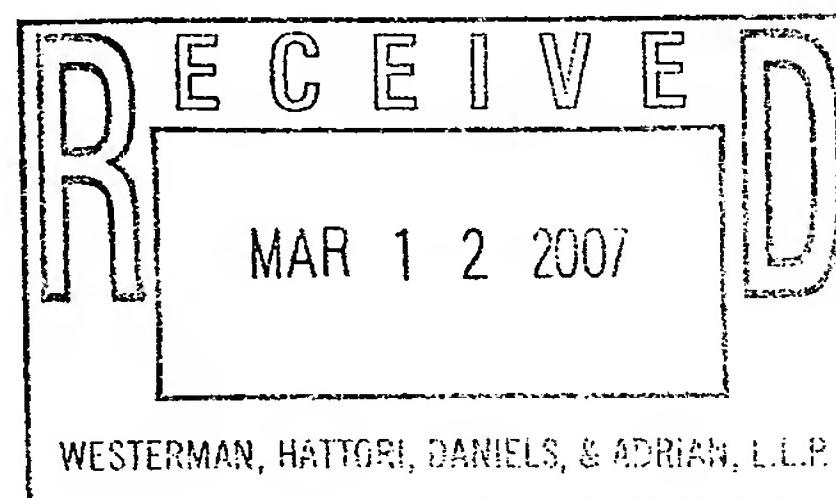
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Therefore, the above identified application failed to meet the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495, and is ABANDONED AS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

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## NOTICE INFORMING THE APPLICANT OF THE COMMUNICATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION TO THE DESIGNATED OFFICES

(PCT Rule 47.1(c), first sentence)

Date of mailing (day/month/year)  
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Applicant's or agent's file reference <b>PCT071JST</b>	<b>IMPORTANT NOTICE</b>	
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Applicant <b>NAKADAI, Kazuhiro et al</b>		

1. Notice is hereby given that the International Bureau has communicated, as provided in Article 20, the international application to the following designated Offices on the date indicated above as the date of mailing of this notice:

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In accordance with Rule 47.1(c), third sentence, those Offices will accept the present notice as conclusive evidence that the communication of the international application has duly taken place on the date of mailing indicated above and no copy of the international application is required to be furnished by the applicant to the designated Office(s).

2. The following designated Offices have waived the requirement for such a communication at this time:

**None**

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The applicable time limit for entering the national phase will, subject to what is said in the following paragraph be **30 MONTHS** from the priority date, not only in respect of any elected Office if a demand for international preliminary examination is filed before the expiration of **19 months** from the priority date, but also in respect of any designated Office, in the absence of filing of such demand, where Article 22(1) as modified with effect from 1 April 2002 applies in respect of the designated Office. For further details, see PCT Gazette No.44/2001 of 1 November 2001, pages 19926, 19932 and 19934, as well as the PCT Newsletter, October and November 2001 and February 2002 issues.

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